

Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 30, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:56 a. m. and sets at 7:20 p. m. High water at 12:58 a. m. and 1:18 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight. Thursday partly cloudy; light variable winds.

Mr. C. T. Goods Elected Chief.

The Board of Police Commissioners at their meeting last night elected Mr. Charles T. Goods chief of the police force of this city in place of Chief James F. Webster, who has held the position during the past 36 years. The new chief was elected a member of the police force about ten years ago and later was selected as sergeant. He subsequently resigned and engaged in commercial pursuits. His selection as head of the force meets with general satisfaction.

In accepting the resignation of Chief Webster the board passed the following: Whereas, Capt. James F. Webster in response to the request of the board has tendered his resignation as Chief of Police, therefore

Resolved, That the resignation of Capt. Webster be and the same is hereby accepted, and in taking this action the Board desires to express its high appreciation of his long, faithful and efficient services as the Chief of police force of this city, and to express its sincere regret that because only of his advanced age and consequent infirmities the board felt in duty bound to request the resignation of so faithful an officer and efficient public servant.

Resolved, That in recognition of his long and faithful services that Capt. Webster be retained on the police force of the city and be assigned to permanent duty as station officer at the Police Headquarters.

A resolution was also passed retaining Chief Webster in the service and detailing him to permanent duty at police headquarters.

There were but two applicants for the position of chief—Mr. Goods and Capt. P. J. Murphy. On the first ballot the former received 4 votes and the latter 1. The vote for Mr. Goods was subsequently made unanimous.

A Token of Appreciation.

Miss Fannie Cook, proprietress of the dining rooms in the Market Building, this morning entered the station house with a handsome gold-headed cane which she handed Chief James F. Webster, whose term of service as head of the police force will expire at 11 o'clock tomorrow night. Accompanying the gift was the following:

Alexandria, Va., May 30, 1906.

To James F. Webster, Chief of Police:

This cane is presented by a friend who regrets that by reason of advancing years the cane has come in your history when it is deemed necessary for you to retire from active duty as Chief of Police. It is hoped that this token will prove a staff upon which to lean in the evening of your life and that you may use it for many years to come.

Respectfully,

MISS FANNIE COOK.

Chief Webster expressed his sincere appreciation of the gift as well as his esteem for the giver, who is a representative of other friends of the chief who, while he is in the service and yellow leaf, desire to express their regard for him as well as their appreciation of his past services.

Later in the day four beautiful bouquets were sent to the chief's residence by certain ladies of the city who appreciate his services to the community.

Judgment in Favor of Company.

Justice Anderson, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, yesterday gave a judgment for \$53,000 in favor of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company against the United States and the District of Columbia. The court confirmed the award of the auditor, who found the amount named to be the cost of removing the tracks of the railway company from E street northwest, to make way for the new Municipal building. The act of Congress which authorized the closing of E street, between Thirteenth and a-half and Fourteenth streets, provided that the railway company should remove the tracks at the expense of the District and the United States, and authorized the District Supreme Court to hear the testimony as to the expense and to give judgment for the amount found to be due. The matter was referred by the court to Auditor Payson, who in his report named \$53,000 as proper compensation for the removal of the tracks and the construction of other tracks on Twelfth and C streets in lieu of those removed. Exceptions were filed to the report both on behalf of the United States and the municipal authorities, but after hearing arguments on the exceptions yesterday, Justice Anderson decided that the auditor's report should be confirmed.

Committee Meeting.

There was a joint meeting of the committees on streets and general laws of the City Council in the chamber of the Common Council, last night, for the purpose of hearing statements from persons desiring the removal of the railroad tracks on Henry street and those desiring their retention. There was a large attendance on the part of those interested. Col. F. L. Smith, attorney for the Washington-Southern Railway Company and Messrs. C. C. Carlin and H. O. Cooper, attorneys for the Southern Railway Company, and Attorneys John M. Johnson and S. G. Brent, representing the property owners who have petitioned Council to have the railway tracks removed, appeared. Councilman E. S. Leadbeater, chairman of the committee on streets, presided, and a number of witnesses for both sides were heard. The matter was taken under advisement.

Shot at Fugitive.

A man named John Lanahan was arrested in this city last night by Officers Bettis and Nicholson for alleged disorderly conduct at Luna Park. While on the way down King street he broke away from the officers and ran south on Pitt street. He refused to halt when commanded to do so by the officers, and they discharged their pistols at him. The fugitive was recaptured later. Lanahan was turned over to the county authorities this morning, and, it is said, was released by them later.

Luna Park.

The managers of Luna Park propose to immediately brand the park the property of the two cities by placing immense shell signs on the green slope at either side of the double gate entrance, reading, respectively, "Washington" and "Alexandria." The reduced rate of fifteen cents for the round trip to the park on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railroad has been made to apply impartially to both cities, and in addition a special line is being run between the Aqueduct Bridge and Luna Park. There is intense interest in the musical programme for the season, which will be rare and fulfilled. This week the sixty-piece band of A. Liberati is on the bandstand, and tonight the programme will be as follows:

PART I.

1 March—Puguet Sound.....Liberati
2 Petite Clarinet Solo.....Muscoe
3 Signor G. Deluchi.....Burger
4 Waltz—Rein du Danube.....Verdi
5 Vocal Selection from Op. Lucia.....Donizetti
6 Miss K. Klarer, soprano; Miss E. Wegner, alto; Signor D. Pizzetti, tenor, and Signor G. De Luchi, baritone.

PART II.

6 Overture—Fingal's Cave.....Mendelssohn
7 Baritone Solo—Se tu mi Amami.....Denza
8 Signor G. Deluchi.....Gillet
8 a Intermezzo—Pendant Le Bal.....Gillet
8 b Ronde de Nuit.....Gillet
9 Tenor Solo—"Non e Ver".....Matti
10 Signor D. Pizzetti.

PART III.

10 Reminiscences of Meyerbeer.....Godfrey
Signor Liberati was formerly a trumpeter in the Papal Guards at Rome, and one of his most inspiring numbers is based on the trumpet call which formerly rang through the grounds at the Vatican. The attractions at Luna Park are in good shape now, and from this time on through the season there will be no hitch in the production of the thirty big shows. A large Decoration Day crowd went to Luna Park today and there will be a rush for the trail tonight.

Decorations Day.

Today has been a legal holiday, although business in the main has been continued as usual. The weather has been all that could have been desired, and large numbers of persons have patronized excursion steamers, while many private parties have enjoyed trips down the river in yachts and launches. Others have made excursion in the rural sections. The ferry steamers, now running on a half hour schedule, have transported large numbers to and from Washington, while the electric trains running between the two cities have been equally well patronized. Luna Park, the new resort, attracted many during the day, and large crowds are expected tonight. Numbers gathered in the National Cemetery early in the afternoon to witness the Decoration Day exercises in that place. Mr. Gillman D. Crittenden, superintendent of the cemetery, had placed the grounds in an attractive condition. The banks and government offices were closed; the schools held but one session; the post office kept Sunday hours, and in the evening some of the places of business were closed.

Police Court.

[Justice J. B. Oaton presiding.]
The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Two white men, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with improper conduct, were dismissed.

A colored man and a colored woman, arrested by Officer Bell charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, were fined \$5 each.

John Lanahan, arrested by Officers Bettis and Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

William Gilmore, arrested by Officers Beach and Lyles charged with vagrancy, was sent to the chain gang for 60 days.

James King, colored, arrested by the same officers charged with assaulting and beating Mary Nicholson, was fined \$5.

A white man, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Three Men Drowned.

The report circulated in this city yesterday to the effect that there had been a drowning accident in the Potomac a short distance below this city proved to be correct. Three Italians while engaged in construction work on a railroad now being laid along Nebraska creek, at Freehouse, were drowned. The men, it appears, were arranging a temporary structure for the purpose of bridging the stream and in some manner fell into the water and sank before help could reach them. George T. Franklin, superintendent of the work, wired Capt. Boardman, of Washington, of the fatality and asked that a police boat be dispatched to the scene, but as it was out of the jurisdiction of the District of Columbia the request was not granted. The bodies have not been recovered.

Death of J. M. Grigg.

Mr. John M. Grigg, formerly of this city, but who had recently resided in Washington, died in his apartments in the Regina Flats in that city at 2:15 o'clock this morning. The deceased leaves a widow and several children.

Mr. Grigg became an employee of the Southern Railway Company during early manhood, and was for many years a conductor in the passenger service of the company. He enjoyed an extensive acquaintance and was deservedly popular among all who knew him.

The Library.

Beginning with Friday, June 1st, the Alexandria Library will be open in the morning instead of the afternoon. Until October 1st, the hours will be as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights from 7:30 to 9:30.

Famous Strike Breakers

The most famous strike breakers in the land are Dr. King's New Life Pills. When liver and bowels go on strike, they quickly settle the trouble, and the purifying effect gets right on best cure for constipation, headache and dizziness. 25c at F. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

NOTICE.

Coal is comfort. We are delivering the best grades of newly mined coal, clean and the very best grade at the bottom summer price, to be delivered before July 1st. Leave your orders at

DeWilton AITCHISON, 107 south Royal street. Both Phones 95.

Summer prices on coal. See our advertisement. W. A. SMOOT & CO.

Fancy Florida Tomatoes, 2 lbs. 25c; Large Pineapples, 2 for 25c; Oyster's Best Butter, 25c lb.; 5 lb. Bucket Lard, 50c (Dish brand); 4 cans Corn, 25c; 4 cans Peas, 25c; 2 cans Table Peaches, 25c.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON, Royal and Wolfe streets.

Personal.

The announcement has been received here from Newport News of the engagement of Miss Carolyn Wilkinson, daughter of Mrs. L. A. and the late Dr. Richard Crump, formerly of New Kent county, to Joseph Roland Goode, of Alexandria, the marriage to take place in June. Miss Goode has many friends throughout the State, and is descended from prominent old Virginia families.

Her mother, who was Miss Lucy A. Clark, daughter of Martha and William Clarke, is the direct descendant of J. Roger Clarke, of revolutionary fame.

Miss Ida Hancock, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Marshall King, of Alexandria, has returned home, bringing with her Mrs. King and baby for a visit.—[Charlottesville Progress.]

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Yates have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Smith, who spent last week in Baltimore, for the horse show, have returned to their home near this city.

Lieutenant Demaine, of Company G, Alexandria Light Infantry, left this afternoon for Staunton, where he will attend the court martial of a member of company K, Seventieth Regiment.

Charter.

The State Corporation Commission, upon the application of Messrs. J. R. & H. B. Caton, of this city, attorneys for the incorporators, issued yesterday a charter to the American Asbestos and Fireproofing Company, incorporated, with a capital stock of \$16,500,000. The officers and directors are: Webster Blocker, of New York, president; A. M. Higgins, of Terra Haute, Ind., vice president; R. B. Clark, of Passaic, N. J., secretary; Franklin Henshaw, of Scranton, Pa., treasurer; and J. W. Goff, of New York; A. M. Higgins and C. A. Dusk, of Terra Haute, Ind.; C. E. Colony, of Croyden, Pa.; Webster Blocker, of New York; R. B. Clark, of Passaic, N. J.; C. D. Sanders, of Scranton, Pa.; M. W. Marsden, of Philadelphia; A. G. Moses, of Trenton, N. J.; F. P. Rafanag, of Manassas, Pa.; and Franklin Henshaw, of Pennsylvania, directors. The principal office will be in this city, and the company will operate largely in Virginia and other States.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Robert Porter, who died Monday, at his country residence, "Annaburg," Manassas, will take place this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. The services at the home will be conducted by the chaplain of the Manassas lodge of Masons, Julius Koehler, a son-in-law of Mr. Porter, and the late's five sons, Edward, Alvin, Paul, Oscar and Hermann, will act as pallbearers. The body will be buried in family burying ground at Manassas. Mr. Porter, it is said, leaves a fortune estimated at several millions. Not the least valuable of his holdings is his magnificent estate, Annaburg, near Manassas, consisting of 2,500 acres, with parks, drives, groves, etc., laid off and kept up in the most artistic manner, and his complete brewery plant and fine property adjoining in this city.

Pythians Assemble.

Oriental Lodge No. 6, Knights of Pythias, met last night with a large attendance. P. G. P., W. H. May, representative to the grand lodge, and P. G. R., Ernest Boyer, submitted their reports of the recent convention of that body held at Staunton, which were both interesting and instructive. The committee on good of the order presented a programme consisting of music, recitation and a reading by P. C., Q. F. Baggett. Speeches of a very interesting character were made by P. S. R., Geo. L. Simpson; P. C., Samuel L. Monroe; P. G. R., Ernest R. Boyer, and others. The committee on good of the order of which P. C., Thos. L. Carter is secretary, are arranging for a special programme next Tuesday night.

W. C. T. U.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Children's Home on Duke street.

The regular weekly prayer meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening, at the Children's Home, on Duke street.

The License Law.

The license law for the year commencing June 1, 1906, and ending May 31, 1907, is published on the fourth page of today's Gazette. There are changes in some of the sections of the law.

THE WHISKY OF OUR FOREFATHERS.

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 35c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. Phone 85 or drop postal.

HARLOW BROTHERS, Cameron and Royal Streets.

Special Notice.

Rest Flour \$5.00/bbl., guaranteed absolutely; large sack, 35c; small, 30c; best Coffee, 15c per lb.; 3 lb. bucket best Lard, 30c; 3 jars best Preserves, 25c; best Mustard 4 jar, Cat-snip 4c bottle; Sweet Pickles, 5c bottle; 6 cans of Peerless Cream 25c; Scam's Challenge Milk, 25c; 3 cans Kaloum Syrup, 25c; 3 cans New Orleans Molasses, 25c; best Table Peaches, 2 cans 25c; any brand of soap 4c a cake.

HARLOW BROTHERS, Cameron and Royal Streets.

Grand Concert

By NORMAN DALY, assisted by MRS. ESPUTA DALY, the NORDIC QUIN-TETTE and other celebrated artists from Washington, FRIDAY, June 1st, at 8 o'clock, at Lannon's Opera House. Tickets, 25c.

NOTICE.—The charter members of ALEXANDRIA LODGE, IMPROVED ORDER OF BROTHERS, are requested to meet in the Alexandria National Bank Hall on THURSDAY NIGHT at 8 o'clock, when the officers will be installed.

By order of the committee, M. J. GERSON, Organizer.

THERE will be an open meeting of the "NATIONAL PROTECTIVE LEAGION" at Scarpia Hall Friday night, June 1st, at 8 o'clock. The national president will be present and give a talk. Come and bring your friends. By order of committee.

R. H. BARTLETT, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE COLUMBIAN MARBLE QUARRYING COMPANY will be held at the company's office, 120 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on June 4, 1906, at 2 p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.

FOR RENT.—Two DWELLINGS, 519 and 521 Oronoco street, 6 rooms; dry cellar; in good condition. Apply to EDWARD QUINN, 529 Oronoco street.

FOR RENT.—After June 1st, TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, No. 506 Prince street. For terms, etc. apply to E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. John R. Taylor died at her home at Fairfax last night.

There was a plethora of strawberries in the market and stores today. They were selling from 7 to 10 cents a box.

The Southern Railway Company is demolishing some of the frame houses on the west side of Henry street, south of the railroad bridge.

The closing exercises of the Mission Sunday School of the Second Presbyterian Church took place yesterday evening in the First Church on south Fairfax street.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Joseph M. Brown, of Catonsville, Pa., and Katherine C. Bowen, of Remington, Va., and to George C. Brenton and Daisy M. Bridwell, of Manassas, Va.

The committee on light has entered into a contract with the Warren Bros' Company, of Boston, for the sale of the gas output of the gas works for the year for \$1.50 per barrel. This is the same company which purchased in the gas last year.

Demaine & Son, undertakers, today received a dispatch from New York for a relative of Fred Schneider, who committed suicide in the Fleischmann Hotel a few days ago, announcing that a representative of the family would come here and identify the remains.

Willis Wooster was arraigned before Justice Supple in Del Ray last night on a charge of assaulting John A. Carpenter, a grocer. It was alleged that Wooster had struck Carpenter on the head with a brick, but the accused protested that he had only used his fist. Wooster was held for the grand jury and was released upon giving a bond of \$300 for his appearance.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, steamed or raw. Clam Soup 5c. Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Square.

Why take a dozen times to cure that cough? Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar allays the congestion, stops that tickling, drives the cold out through your bowels. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King St.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

Elliott's, Cor Pitt and King Sts

Rich Cut Glass and China for June Brides

At Right Prices.

Don't miss seeing the new designs in Cut Glass, which we are showing, especially the full finish star effect worked into the glass. The effect is beautiful.

Haviland Dinner Sets at \$25, \$35 and \$50

Japanese Dinner Gongs at \$2.25, \$3 and \$5.

Chafing Dishes at \$3.98, \$5 and \$8.98

Salad Bowls and Berry Sets \$2.98 to \$5.98

Jardiniers and Pedestals at \$5.98 and \$8.98

Saltwater Vases, per pair \$8.00

Lamps and Chamber Sets \$7.50, \$8.98 and \$10 Each

WANTED.

WANTED.—A GOOD BUTCHER to cut and dress meat. Must sleep at the house. Apply to W. M. PRIEST, corner Queen and Patrick streets. my30 2t

WANTED.—AN ACTIVE YOUTH, or YOUNG MAN, who will not mind hard work—knows something of bookkeeping and would like to learn the hardware business. Address in own handwriting.

JAS. F. CARLIN'S SONS & CO., Alexandria, Va. my29 2t

WANTED.—A WHITE WOMAN to do general housework. Small family. Apply at 1621 Duke street. my28 3t

WANTED.—An active, intelligent YOUNG MAN for collector and clerk in an office. Address by letter A. B. Gazette Office. my28 3t

SECOND HAND BAGS.—Will buy any kind, any quantity, anywhere. I pay freight. Write for prices. GEO. T. KING, Richmond, Va. my 19 1w

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to L. E. Uhler, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 5 p. m., Tuesday, June 12, 1906, for furnishing Gas Works with THREE THOUSAND TONS (more or less) of GAS COAL (2400 pounds to the ton) to be delivered in the sheds at the works trimmed and bunched up, during the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1906, and ending May 31, 1907, orders to be accepted by successful bidder any date after awarding of contract so that coal will arrive at the works on or before August 1, 1906.

The coal must be Monongah, Tryon, or Youghiogheny, Monaca, Fairmont, Lincoln or other gas coal of equal or superior yield and candle power. Bidders can give their figures on all of the mines, and are requested to give candle power, yield and analysis, per ton coal.

Bids will also be received until the same hour and at the same place for furnishing FIVE HUNDRED TONS (more or less) of GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL, (2240 pounds to the ton) for the use of the Electric Light Works, to be furnished by the boat, car or smaller quantities, if necessary, delivered at the Electric Light Works during the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1906, and ending May 31, 1907, orders to be accepted by successful bidder any date after awarding of contract, so that coal will arrive at the works on or before July 1, 1906. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Terms: Cash on 15th day of each month following delivery of coal.

By order of the Committee on Light, J. E. WALLEE, Clerk.

EXTRACTS FOR THE HANDICRAFT.

Palo Alto Pink, Lady Matchless, Bride Elect, Marjorie Lee, Cornsoda, White Rose, Sweet Margery, Golden State Violet, California Crab Apple, Blossom, Rosemary, California Clover, Pearls of Hyacinth, Pearls of Violets, Orchard Blossoms, Cashmere Bouquet, Jockey Club, Coronaria, Maid Muller, Ceylon Clover, Trailing Arbutus, Stuart Bouquet.

France Rose and La Trede, at WARFIELD & HALLS, 707 Prince & Fairfax Streets.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—We are agents for this celebrated Lithia Water and keep constantly on hand equal and fresh supply.

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

Curtice Brothers SAF MAPLE SYRUP and BAKED BEANS, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

HOLLAND BUSH for sale. J. C. MILBURN.

FIVE CENTS.—Fine Granulated Sugar for sale at five cents by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Lansburgh & Bro.

Washington's Favorite Store.

Half-Day Specials

\$1.48 White Petticoats, 92c.

Women's White Petticoats, about twenty styles, made of splendid quality cambric and muslin, finished with deep circular dounces, with rows of tucks beautifully; others with rows of fine lace insertion, deep lace edge; also the deep dounces of fine embroidery; full foundation and dust ruffle. Length, 38 to 24.

Cannon Cloth Skirts, \$1.56.

500 Ladies' White Cannon Cloth Skirts, blue and black ground, with white polka dot duck skirt; also plain black duck skirts; all sizes. At this price we should sell the lot quickly.

\$15 Silk Suits, \$7.98.

10 Ladies' Taffeta Silk Suits, in black, blue, green, tan, white, gray, black and white, and all assorted checks, will be sacrificed today. Do not miss this opportunity.

Lansburgh & Bro., 420 to 426 Seventh Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

For Sale.

DESIRABLE NEW TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING NO. 631 NORTH COLUMBUS STREET, CONTAINING 6 ROOMS AND ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES; DOUBLE PORCH; SOUTH EXPOSURE; LARGE SIDE LOT.

THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, BELONGING TO THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOHN CRITCHER AND KNOWN AS 111 NORTH ALFRED STREET, CONTAINING 10 ROOMS, MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, WITH SIDE LOT ADJOINING ON THE SOUTH. THIS IS A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE A FINE RESIDENCE IN ONE OF THE BEST RESIDENTIAL SECTIONS OF THIS CITY.

I HAVE ALSO SOME SPLENDID BARGAINS IN ST. ELMO, DEL RAY AND BRADDOCK HEIGHTS PROPERTIES.

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Lawn Swings, \$3, \$3.50, \$5 and \$6.

Lawn Settees, \$1 and